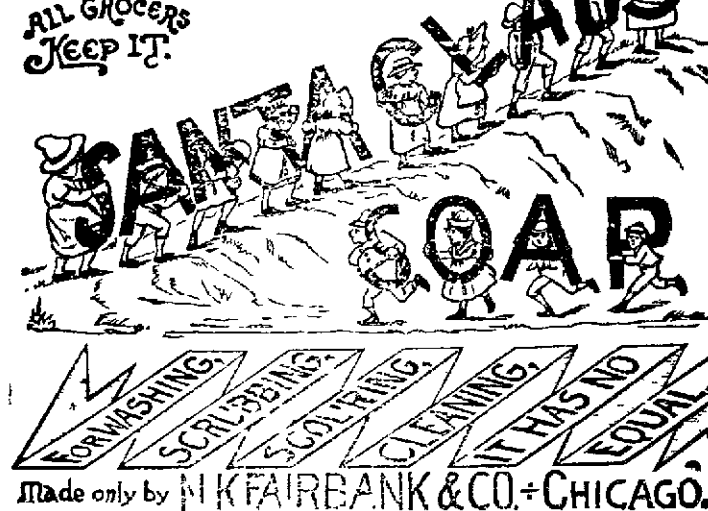


THIS LITTLE BAND OF HOPE, CARRY SANTA CLAUS SOAP, AND YOU SEE HOW VERY RAPIDLY THEY'RE RISING, WE'VE ENGAGED THEM FOR A TIME, AS THEY'RE SUITED FOR THIS CLIMB, AND ARE HAPPY WHEN EMPLOYED IN ADVERTISING



THE Low Prices

Inaugurated on Saturday, May 17, will be continued during this week at

THE NEW STORE

NEXT TO MILLIKIN'S BANK.

S. HUMPHREYS.

Agent Standard Patterns.

1890-1855

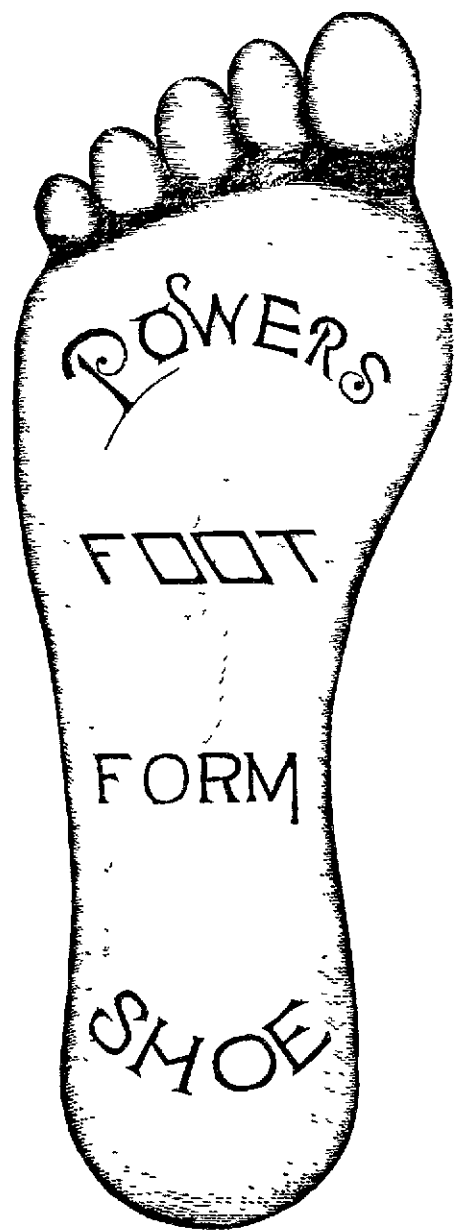
35.

We prefer buying our Beef from the FARMERS of MACON COUNTY rather than from Dressed Beef firms in St. Louis or Chicago. Believing that it is QUALITY rather than quantity that the public desire, we shall continue to sell only the best of Meats, procured from animals raised and matured on Maccon county farms, and respect fully ask for a continuance of your patronage, heretofore so liberally bestowed.

IMBODEN BROS.

A CONSIGNMENT

Of 300 Pairs of Ladies' Extra Fine Hand Turned Kid Button \$2.50 Shoes, We are Authorized to sell at \$1.45.



POWERS' SHOE STORE.

JOHN G. CLOYD, GROCER,

144 E. Main, - Decatur.
Telephone 36.

GHER & TRAVER'S

REAL ESTATE BULLETIN.
3 vacant lots on North Church street, price \$45 each.
House on East William street with 7 rooms, good barn, lot 40x100, price \$1,650.
New 7 room house on West Wood street, with modern improvements, lot 65 feet front, price \$5,500.
House on Stone street with 3 rooms, well, cellar, etc., lot 50 feet front, price \$650 on easy terms.
Vacant lot on West Wood street, 50 feet front, price \$1,250.
New house on North Church street, 40 feet front, \$2,400.
House on West Prairie Avenue, 8 rooms, lot 60 feet front, price \$4,500.
Elegant home on West Mason street, 70 feet front, price \$6,000.
Lots of from 1 to 6 acres on May & Travers addition, on easy terms.
Lots in Starr & Mill's addition. Easy terms.
Have from \$100 to \$2000 to loan.
We also have the best fire and tornado insurance companies.

MORNING REVIEW

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1890.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC—Special convocation of Beaumont Commandery No. 9 & 12 (late Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock for work in the Temple degrees. All Knights Templars in regular standing are invited. Milton Johnson B. C.; N. L. Krohn, Sec.

I. O. O. F.—Regular meeting this Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock for work in the Temple degrees. Visiting Patriarchs in good standing cordially invited. F. C. Betzer, C. F.; John Mark, Scribe.

MATTERS OF FACT.

Queen, Queen, Queen.
Queen folding beds at Bachman Bros.
Beautiful sashes at Linn & Scruggs.
Henry Bros. keep the best bread in the city.
Buy your bed room suits of Bachman Bros.
Artists' tube colors at 5 cents each at Blank & Grass.
Scovill's for stoves sold for cash or on easy payments.
Scovill's for parlor goods, sold for cash or on easy payments.
Great bargains in chenille and lace curtains at Linn & Scruggs.
Another car of Rose potatoes just received at T. W. Cann & Co.
If you want a good, clean, wholesome lunch, go to Henry Bros.
Ladies, bicycle and lawn tennis suits just received, at Linn & Scruggs.
Go to Blank & Grass if you want wall paper, window shades or picture frames.
FANS, a large assortment suitable for opera or ordinary use at Linn & Scruggs.
Go to Scovill's for bed room suits sold for cash or on the weekly payment plan.
BEAU—French and American patterns at TIFUL, Linn & Scruggs.
For kid glove oranges, the finest in the market, go to Bramble's, 155 North Water street.
Blank & Grass are headquarters for wall paper, window shades, painter's and artists' supplies.
Bachman Bros. will sell you a baby buggy for cash or on time. The finest, largest line in the city.
Fifer's photograph gallery is turning out excellent pictures under the management of H. A. Brown.
Linn & Scruggs are sole agents for the "Celebrated," "Centemer" kid gloves. See advertisement.
It is \$3.33 saved to buy of Scovill on the easy payment plan. Call and investigate it.
The Dellmeier ordered by mail is 13 cents per copy, at the counter 10 cents. Linn & Scruggs.
Do not fail to examine the elegant line of wall paper and window shades at Blank & Grass before buying elsewhere.
Scovill will sell you anything you want to furnish your house with for cash or on the easy payment plan, 215 south side park.
VAN DYKE, new and handsome DRESS TRIMMINGS, just received at Linn & Scruggs.
Prudent housekeepers who want to preserve their reputation as breadmakers, should always use White Foam and White Bread flour.
WALL, Fifty thousand rolls in elegant PAPER styles, in all grades at lowest prices at Linn & Scruggs.
Wanted—Two thousand brick-layers, carpenters and mechanics to furnish their houses at Scovill's and pay for it on the easy payment plan.
Prescott carries a full line of music and musical instruments. Call at this house and see that you can do better than at any other place.
You will save money and gather comfort by having your shoes repaired by E. W. Chandler, in Tabernacle building. His work is the best and always promptly done.
We are sole agents for the McKee baby carriage with patent attachments that can't be had on any other carriage. Come and see it. Sold for cash or on time at Scovill's, South Park street.
If you want your rooms painted in short order, remember that Blank & Grass have a large force of paper hangers at their command, which can do your work with neatness and dispatch.
Combe's restaurant is one of the oldest established places in Decatur. Go there for your meals and you will be pleased. We are here to stay. European hotel in connection. Opposite Grand Opera House.
The ladies of the Baptist church will give an entertainment and Russian tea in the chapel of the church Thursday evening, May 23. Admission 10 cents, which will include a cup of tea at the Russian booth. Other refreshments will be served. Everybody invited.

We guarantee our Rice Coil Spring Vehicles to be the easiest riding in the world. If after six weeks trial the Rice Coil Spring is not found to be the easiest riding spring you ever used, we will exchange for any other style.

THE SPENCER & LEHMAN CO.
Greatly reduced rates via the Wabash to Kansas City, St. Joseph, Atchison, Leavenworth, Council Bluffs, Omaha, and all points west. Remember the Wabash is the only line running solid trains to Missouri river points. Rates always as low as via any other line. Call on or address F. W. GREENE, Pass. Tkt. Agt. Wabash R. R., Union Depot, Decatur.

Wabash Excursions.
Special half-rate land seekers' excursions. On April 23, May 20, September 5 and 23, and October 14, the Wabash railroad company will sell special home seekers' excursion tickets to points in Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Dakota, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Mexico, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Wyoming, Georgia, Florida and Kentucky, at the low rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be limited to 30 days from date of sale. Stop over will be granted. Solid trains consisting of elegant free reclining chair cars and Pullman palace sleeping from Decatur to Missouri river. For rates and all particulars call on or address F. W. GREENE, Pass. and Ticket Agt., Wabash Railroad Co., Decatur.

German Baptist Brethren.
Annual meetings at Pertle Springs, Mo. and North Manchester, Ind., May 23 to 30, 1890. For the German Baptist Brethren, to be held at Pertle Springs, Mo., and North Manchester, Ind., May 23 to 30 the Wabash railroad will sell round trip tickets from all points on its line at half fare. Tickets will be on sale May 19 to 27 inclusive, and will be good to return up to and including June 26, 1890. For tickets and all desired information call on or address F. W. GREENE, P. and T. Agt. Wabash depot, Decatur.

More About bouffe.
The preliminary examination of Prof. M. J. Scoville, whose arrest for stealing school books from schools at Tuscola was mentioned, was set for Monday. He waived examination and in default of \$300 bail was lodged in the county jail. His arrest caused quite a flurry among the fair sex, and from letters found in his trunk by detectives it was discovered that the gay pedagogue was engaged to be married to four different young ladies and the weddings were all set to come off during the month of June.

Early Closing.
We, the undersigned clothing merchants of Decatur, hereby agree to close our place of business at 6 o'clock p. m. after June 1st, Saturday nights and Wabash pay days excepted.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hamand, Col. E. T. Lee, and Mr. Billings left Tuesday evening to attend the reunion at Vicksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. George Keller have leased the new Benet House at Belmont and will re-open it in a few days. At present there isn't a hotel in the town.

A prohibition county convention will be held here next Saturday to name delegates to the state convention. On the same day the democrats hold primaries, and the republicans have a love-feast on the Chicago plan.

A large number of Monticello people attended the commencement at Belmont Tuesday evening. The graduates were Misses Marion Thompson, Grace Rhinestine and Minnie Collins. The Monticello orchestra furnished the music.

Swindled Farmers.
The regular springtime swindler has made his appearance and, despite the fact of the wire fence, hay fork and paint compound swindlers, there are plenty of deeply hooked suckers to render more exposures necessary. William Hall, of Nixon, B. J. F. Harrison, of Wilson, a Mr. Mills, of Barnes, and Brown and one or two other well-to-do farmers of DeWitt county have just been taken in to the tune of \$198 apiece. They were approached last week by a sleek gentleman representing a Springfield patent wire fence and each asked to engage in the business in his township. The farmers received a nicely written guarantee that they will gain so much profit after a canvass and the putting in of so much fence and they wake up to find that he has to show only the memory of the sleek visitor and a crude machine for making wire fence, but in reality only a book to conceal the bait of the cold-blooded angler of suckers.

A Queer Accident.
The 3-year-old boy of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Melhorn, while playing "house-keeping," got a grain of corn in one of his nostrils, and in his efforts to take it out again, forced it further up. His passage caused intense pain, and the cries of the little fellow could be heard for some distance. He was taken to Dr. Kennedy's office, where after being put under the influence of morphine, Drs. Kennedy and Eddy removed the obstruction and relieved the boy's sufferings. He is still considerably fevered and in some pain, but it is thought will pull through all right.

Police Pickings.
Officer Leech arrested John D. May yesterday on a warrant sworn out by Adam Brown charging him with obtaining money under false pretenses. In default of \$500 bail he went to jail.

Officer Leech arrested a man named Charles Packard yesterday on a warrant issued some weeks ago charging him with attempting to defraud a boarding house keeper. He left town at the time but returned yesterday and was arrested. The case was settled before Justice Curtis.

Clinton's Finances.
It has been accurately ascertained that the expenses of running the town of Clinton for the last year, were \$15,077.25. Of this sum \$4,928.04 were paid out as salaries of officers, the rest for useful expenses; incidental. The reports are itemized carefully, but not often published, as the publication would require additional expense. The reports have been at quarterly meetings of the council.

Hammond's Election.
The newly incorporated village of Hammond had its first election Tuesday. The anti-license ticket was elected by about 50 majority. These are the new officers: For president, T. J. Kizer; for clerk, W. R. Evans; for trustee, J. A. Bryson, O. D. Noe, J. B. Workman, J. R. Mitchell, J. R. Ponder, H. C. Tally.

CAUSED A SENSATION.
A Negro Preacher's Speech Creates Much Comment at Bloomington.
The McLean county prohibitionists held a mass convention at Bloomington Tuesday and selected delegates to the state and congressional conventions. A resolution was offered condemnatory of Rev. John L. Jackson, pastor of the First Baptist church, for recent pulp utterances regarding the third party and Mrs. Ellen M. Gougar, and laudatory of the latter for her recent sensational denunciation of M. M. Jackson and non-prohibition Christians. It was tabled by an unanimous vote.

There were many speeches, one of which created a profound sensation and elicited thunders of applause. It was made by Rev. Mr. Campbell, a young colored preacher of Normal. It was, said he, the first time in all his life that he had stood before a gathering of prohibitionists, and he had not figured in any political party, but always sided the republican ticket. "The politics of our people are the politics of the color of our skin," he said. "The republicans have used my people for a stepping-stone long enough, and I am through with them. I have not devoted much time to the issue of the prohibition or any other party, neither have I been asleep. I have resolved never to vote the republican ticket again. My people will soon leave the party that debauched them."

He said the negro had looked to Lincoln as a second Jesus Christ. Lincoln did not free the slaves until he had to do it. It was a necessity. It was not for love of the negro nor for the freedom of the negro, it was because the North was getting lickered and republicans needed their aid. He said that the negro was the biggest drunkard and the white man the biggest liar on earth.

FAVOR BRICK.
The Evansville Visitors Heard from Re garding Decatur's Paving.
The editor of the Evansville Tribune writes as follows concerning Decatur's pavements and although he opposed brick paving from the start it now looks as if he were a thorough convert. The letter is written from Indiana.

At Decatur there are about ten miles of brick streets, which have been in use, some of them since 1834, and have cost hardly anything for repairs. They make their streets with four inches of gravel, then a layer of soft brick, laid flat, then two inches of sand and on top of this a layer of hard burnt brick set edgewise and the interstices filled with distilled coal tar. The citizens are loud in their praise of them, and say they are the best streets in the world. They have a street sweeper in Decatur, but rarely use it because there is no need of it.

In fact my visit to these two cities has been a reversal of my opinion. I went slightly prejudiced against brick, but in view of what I saw in both cities, and the honest and straightforward information so cheerfully accorded me, and the fact that both cities are still improving with brick, I am willing to be recorded in favor of brick, if we can get it down at a reasonable cost.

Monticello.
Special Correspondence to THE REVIEW.
Ed Munce returned from an extended western trip Tuesday.

Capt. Davis, formerly state senator from this district now of Kansas, is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hamand, Col. E. T. Lee, and Mr. Billings left Tuesday evening to attend the reunion at Vicksburg.

Thomas Henry and George Keller have leased the new Benet House at Belmont and will re-open it in a few days. At present there isn't a hotel in the town.

A prohibition county convention will be held here next Saturday to name delegates to the state convention. On the same day the democrats hold primaries, and the republicans have a love-feast on the Chicago plan.

A large number of Monticello people attended the commencement at Belmont Tuesday evening. The graduates were Misses Marion Thompson, Grace Rhinestine and Minnie Collins. The Monticello orchestra furnished the music.

Swindled Farmers.
The regular springtime swindler has made his appearance and, despite the fact of the wire fence, hay fork and paint compound swindlers, there are plenty of deeply hooked suckers to render more exposures necessary. William Hall, of Nixon, B. J. F. Harrison, of Wilson, a Mr. Mills, of Barnes, and Brown and one or two other well-to-do farmers of DeWitt county have just been taken in to the tune of \$198 apiece. They were approached last week by a sleek gentleman representing a Springfield patent wire fence and each asked to engage in the business in his township. The farmers received a nicely written guarantee that they will gain so much profit after a canvass and the putting in of so much fence and they wake up to find that he has to show only the memory of the sleek visitor and a crude machine for making wire fence, but in reality only a book to conceal the bait of the cold-blooded angler of suckers.

A Queer Accident.
The 3-year-old boy of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Melhorn, while playing "house-keeping," got a grain of corn in one of his nostrils, and in his efforts to take it out again, forced it further up. His passage caused intense pain, and the cries of the little fellow could be heard for some distance. He was taken to Dr. Kennedy's office, where after being put under the influence of morphine, Drs. Kennedy and Eddy removed the obstruction and relieved the boy's sufferings. He is still considerably fevered and in some pain, but it is thought will pull through all right.

Police Pickings.
Officer Leech arrested John D. May yesterday on a warrant sworn out by Adam Brown charging him with obtaining money under false pretenses. In default of \$500 bail he went to jail.

Officer Leech arrested a man named Charles Packard yesterday on a warrant issued some weeks ago charging him with attempting to defraud a boarding house keeper. He left town at the time but returned yesterday and was arrested. The case was settled before Justice Curtis.

Clinton's Finances.
It has been accurately ascertained that the expenses of running the town of Clinton for the last year, were \$15,077.25. Of this sum \$4,928.04 were paid out as salaries of officers, the rest for useful expenses; incidental. The reports are itemized carefully, but not often published, as the publication would require additional expense. The reports have been at quarterly meetings of the council.

Where the Democrats of Decatur Township Will Meet.
Pursuant to the call of the county central committee the chairmen of the different precincts of the township have arranged meeting places for the democratic primaries to be held Saturday evening, May 24, at 7:30 p. m., as follows:

First Precinct—Richardson's drug store, corner Edmund and Calhoun, Ed Knight, chairman.
Second Precinct—Harpstite building, corner Broadway and Mason, Lee Hall, chairman.
Third Precinct—W. F. Dennis & Bros., hardware store, 111 North Water street, W. F. Dennis, chairman.
Fourth Precinct—A. A. Buckingham's law office Charles Barnett, chairman.
Fifth Precinct—Carl Burke's butcher shop on Monroe, between Prairie and Main, H. M. Bragg, chairman.
Sixth Precinct—T. D. Walker's law office, Elijah Hampton, chairman.
Seventh Precinct—Tabernacle, J. R. Miller, chairman.
Eighth Precinct—Office of Jesse Leforgee & Son, O. F. Randolph, chairman.
Ninth Precinct—Guthrie's shoe store, corner Wood and Broadway, J. A. Sina, chairman.
Tenth Precinct—Union Bottling works, Robert Kincaid, chairman.
Eleventh Precinct—Bliss Grass Carriage shop on West William street, R. E. Pratt, chairman.

Democrats are urged to attend their precinct primaries as there is much important work to be done. Committeemen for the next two years will be selected and also delegates to the county convention in accordance with the call published elsewhere.

THE REVIEW POSTOFFICE.
EDITOR REVIEW—The suggestion in yesterday's REVIEW of James Parks as chief of the fire department is a good one. He is a quiet, unassuming and first-class fireman who does not know (or does not try to make people believe he knows) more than the law allows any one man to know. If there is anything he does thoroughly understand it is the care and handling of horses and every detail of the fire department. Should the council select Mr. Parks they will find they will have a man who will do his whole duty and please them as well as the majority of the people.

ONE WHO KNOWS.
Elwin.
Special Correspondence to THE REVIEW.
Mrs. McDonald has bought a new spring wagon.

Emery Shively was visiting relatives in Elwin Wednesday.

Odor, Ward & Co shipped several carloads of cattle Wednesday.

Several Elwinites attended the baptizing at the river last Sunday.

Conard & Co. are doing an extensive grain business at present.

Rev. I. N. Higgins, formerly pastor of the U. B. congregation in Elwin, was visiting friends here Wednesday.

A. F. Smith, of Decatur, delivered an address at the U. B. church Sunday, in the interest of the W. C. T. U.

There was no preaching in Elwin last Sunday, on account of the quarterly meeting at Blue Mound chapel.

Nine tramps passed through Elwin last Saturday evening, headed southward, closely pursued by three Decatur policemen, seeking an official interview with them respecting some recent additions to their ward robe.

Champaign.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles visited friends in Elwin Sunday.

Mrs. M. H. Stuyman, of Chicago, is visiting among Champaign friends.

Capt. and Mrs. Thomas J. Smith returned from a visit in the south Friday morning. John Morrissey and Miss Monica Henry were married Tuesday at St. Mary's church.

A. W. Swigert, of Springfield, is spending several days among friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Porter, of Springfield, are visiting Champaign and Urbana friends.

ANY ONE CAN SEE

That the largest stock, greatest variety, and most elegant assortment of Dry Goods, Carpets, Curtains, Wall Paper and General Merchandise, can at all times be found at

LINN & SCRUGGS.

In view of the facts just stated, and the further fact that our sales are not equalled, all things considered, by any house in the United States, we are justified in saying that we can save purchasers of goods time, money and much confusion when they deal with us.

We now Offer Special Bargains in the Following Goods:

Drapery nets, Chantilly and Spanish Flouncings and laces. Vandyke ruchings, laces and collars and cuffs. Swiss and Nainsook flouncings, in all the new work, Vandyke Irish point and hemstitched. Outing cloths and flannelettes, at 10, 12½ and 15c. Printed challies, in new and beautiful styles. French, German and English Henriettas, in beautiful shades. French and American dress goods, in robes, combination suits and plain fabrics, surpassing anything ever shown in beauty of styles and richness of colors. Our golden rule black silks at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.85 warranted not to cut, and best value ever offered anywhere.

600 Parasols and sun umbrellas, as handsome as can be made at popular prices.

The best and cheapest fast black hose for ladies and children, in the market.

French and American corsets in all the best makes. Balbriggan and gauze underwear that cannot be equalled for quality and price.

Ladies' muslin underwear. Table linens. CARPETS, WALL PAPER, Lace CURTAINS

Chenille Portieres, and General Merchandise

GIVE US YOUR NAMES:

As we propose getting up a new program, and in order to make it complete we wish the name and address of every lady who purchases goods in Decatur, no matter what the price, and as an inducement to those favoring us with their name and address, we will give them a chance in the following prizes, namely:

- | | |
|--|--|
| 1 Prize of 35 yards Lowell Body Brussels Carpet. | 4 Prizes each of one best \$5 gold headed silk umbrella. |
| 1 Prize of 20 yards of best black \$2 silk carpet. | 5 Prizes each of one best \$3 Marshall's apron. |
| 1 Prize of 20 yards of best black \$1 silk carpet. | 4 Prizes each of one furniture protector carpet sweater. |
| 1 Prize of 20 yards of best colored \$1 silk carpet. | 4 Prizes each of 3 yards best table linen at 7c each yard. |
| 1 Prize of 20 yards best Lowell Ingrain carpet. | 12 Prizes each of 12 yards best dress flannel at 7c each yard. |
| 1 Prize of one best \$10 shawl. | 12 Prizes each of one pair \$2 kid gloves. |
| 1 Prize of one pair best \$2 blankets. | 40 Prizes each of 12 yards best dress flannel at 7c each yard. |
| 2 Prizes each of 10 yards best 30 cent blanket. | 12 Prizes each of one best \$1 corset. |
| 1 Prize of one best \$7 child's cloak. | 4 Prizes each of one best \$1 kid glove. |
| 2 Prizes each of one lady's \$7 jacket. | Or their equivalent in any other article of merchandise. |
| 1 Prize of one best \$5 parasol. | |
| 1 Prize of one best \$3 rug. | |

The drawing to take place the FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, 1891. The prizes will be distributed under the direction of such persons as will insure justice and satisfaction to all.

Every lady who has her name in our directory will have one chance, that will cost her nothing except the trouble of giving us her address.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

Sole Agents for the Celebrated P. Centemer Kid Gloves, Butterick's Patterns and Hercules White Shirts.

N. B. Orders from a distance receive prompt and careful attention

WE ARE THE PEOPLE

Who save you money, and a glance at the prices below will convince you of it. The way our delivery wagons have been rushed the last few months show that the public is finding it out. Come in and see us. We always have bargains and job lots that give you a benefit. We began making low prices, the people appreciated our efforts, and are satisfied. So are we. Here is a

NEW BILL OF FARE.

SUGARS.		FLOUR.	
Granulated Sugar, 15 lbs for	\$1 00	Best roller process Flour, per sack	
A Sugar, 15½ lbs for	1 00	60 pounds	\$1 15
15½ lbs extra C Sugar	1 00		
15½ lbs C Sugar	1 00	SOAPS.	
Good Syrup, per gallon	40	8 bars Logan & Beik's	35c
COFFEE PACKAGES.		7 bars "Kid Bros"	35c
XXXX	25c	6 boxes soap	35c
Arbuckle's	25c	6 bars National	25c
Libby's	25c	12 bars Palm Leaf	25c
Queen B.	25c	TOBACCO.	
Bonola.	25c	Star tobacco	45c
Good Coffee in Bulk	25c	Climax tobacco	45c
Best Bulk Coffee in town	25c	Big 4 tobacco	30c
Weddy competition on this brand.		Horse Shoe tobacco, per pound	45c
TEAS.		Job lot of fine cut close cut	25c
Japan	15c to 50c	MISCELLANEOUS.	
Imperial (best)	35c to 50c	Fancy raisins, new	10c
Y. H.	35c to 50c	New French prunes	8½c
Japan Tea in 1 lb cans	40c	Sardines, 7c, or 4 for	30c
HAMS.		Canned peaches in syrup	30c
Kingham hams, per lb.	12½c	Canned black berries	6½c
California hams, per lb.	12½c	Baking powder in bulk	15c
Breakfast Bacon	12½c	Mackerel in pound cans	10c
Heavy Bacon	10c	Baking powder, bulk 15c a lb 2 for 25c	
Best lard, per lb.	10c	Lemons, per doz	25c
Chipped dried beef	20c		
Best coal oil per gallon	15c		
Best vinegar per gallon	20c		

THESE PRICES ARE FOR SPOT CASH.

Goods delivered to all parts of the city.

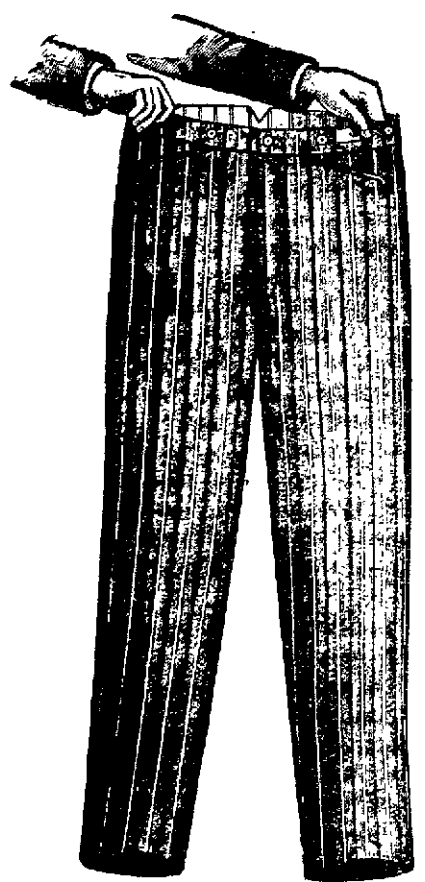
LOGAN & BEIK.

150 MERCHANT ST TELEPHONE 120.

DO YOUR LAMP CHIMNEYS BREAK?
YOU GET THE WRONG SORT, THE RIGHT ONES
ARE CALLED PEARL TOP AND ARE
Made only by GEO. A. MACBETH & CO., PITTSBURGH, PA.

THINK WELL OF OUR TROUSERS?

FRED MYER & BROS' Celebrated Trousers.



FRED MYER & BROS' Celebrated Trousers.

IF - YES, - YOU - HAVE - TRIED - THEM

If no, you never have. Prejudice instead of reason. Too Bad. Loses us money--You money. Be Reasonable. We now have on stock 1,000 pairs of Fred Myer & Bros' Celebrated Trousers. See them.

B. STINE CLOTHING CO.



BRIDGET—"I Soiy, Moike, I want ye to thrut down to Ferriss & Lapham's an' git me a pair uv thim new .style foiner shoes they are sellin' so chape, an' don't yez dare to show yer face back here without 'em."

MOIKE—"All right, Bridget, I'll do as you say. Your advice was good, anyway, and I'll take it."

Bridget's advice is good for any body, and most of the people are acting on it, judging from the amount of goods that were sold there.

A FEW BARGAINS

An legant line of Ladies' Oxfords, Patent Tip and Plain Toes. The prices range from 75c to \$2.50, and all exceedingly cheap for the money we ask. You cannot duplicate the goods and prices elsewhere.

Men's Fine Shoes in all grades, at prices from \$1.25 up to \$6.50. We consider the Burt & Mears Shoe one of the best in our stock, and hundreds who have worn them can tell you they will give you better wear and more comfort than any shoe made. We sell Men's Fine Kangaroo Shoes at \$2.25.

Ladies' Hand-Sewed Patented French Process, double seam flexible Dengola Shoe. Nothing like it in Decatur and nothing like it to be had for the price. It is durable, warranted not to rip, very easy to the foot, pliable.

WE SELL THEM AT \$2.25 PER PAIR.

FERRISS & LAPHAM, Shoe Store

148 East Main St. : Decatur, Ill.

YOU MAY HAVE YOUR CHOICE.

A nice cottage, beautifully located, containing large well ventilated rooms with bath, fireplace and late improvements. Stands on 60 foot lot, has south front and commands a fine view.

The handsome and most reasonably priced suburban place offered in this city. Magnificent grounds, new 7-room house, good barn and fine orchard. The town is rapidly building up to it and the electric cars run within about 6 blocks. The grounds can be planted into about 25 lots and sold.

A few elegant building lots, one especially nice on West Main street two on Prairie Avenue and one on West William street. Also lots in Millikin place and every desirable addition to the city.

I am sure that no one can show a more complete list of vacant and improved city property than I have at this time and I am glad to point it out whether I make a sale or not.

C. W. MONTGOMERY.

2nd Floor Over Millikin's Bank Building.

MORNING REVIEW

THURSDAY, MAY 23, 1890.

YOU, SELF AND OTHERS.

L. Burrows left for Chicago last night.

A. Wacner, of Hammond, is in the city.

Rev. James Miller continues to improve.

P. H. Donohue has returned from Chicago.

E. L. Martin left yesterday for Jacksonville.

Miss Bertha Roach has returned from St. Louis.

Frank Butts and wife went to Pekin yesterday.

J. P. Eckels was at Monticello all day yesterday.

Byron Travis came up from Assumption yesterday.

C. H. Bachrach and wife went to Chicago last night.

Ex-Supervisor Richardson, of Niantic, is in the city.

Miss Bertie Latham, of Lincoln, is visiting in Decatur.

W. A. Webb, of Dalton City, was in Decatur yesterday.

George McHenry, of Chicago, is visiting Decatur friends.

Mrs. E. Rhinehart of Cicero is visiting Decatur friends.

W. N. Andrews will leave this morning for Pueblo, Col.

Miss Lucille Durfee returned from Bloomington yesterday.

T. N. Leavitt, of Maroa, was a visitor yesterday to Decatur.

I. A. Buckingham had legal business in Harrisonville yesterday.

Robert Bryan, of Hammond, was a guest yesterday at the Deming.

Mrs. Ed Gates is quite sick at her home on South Franklin street.

Circuit Clerk Hudgens of Platt county, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. A. L. Keller of Sullivan, transacted business in the city yesterday.

W. H. Starr will leave to-day for a visit to Spokane Falls and the west.

Charles Shilling and wife left yesterday to visit relatives in Taylorville.

Miss Abbie Pratt has returned from a visit of several weeks in Chicago.

Mrs. James H. Moore, of St. Louis, is the guest of Dr. H. C. Johns and family.

Rev. H. Smith and E. A. Wood were in Decatur yesterday from Cerro Gordo.

J. T. Evans went out to Cicero yesterday to shell and ship 3,500 bushels of corn.

Miss Vosburgh, of Lincoln, is visiting her brother, Rev. George B. Vosburgh.

Col. Fash Warner, of Clinton, came to Decatur last night, and is now in the city.

Charles DeSbie, of Lovington, is a new clerk at the grocery store of H. B. Lewis.

H. B. Saint and Cora Rhoades of Monticello did business in this city yesterday.

Willard Field and wife, of Lawrence, Kan., are visiting L. P. Bitch and family.

Harry Hays and R. J. Oglesby have returned from a fishing trip to the Mackinaw.

Mrs. E. West of Sandusky, O., is visiting the family of Conductor Bullock on East Eldorado.

Miss Grace Corneau, of Springfield, will arrive in Decatur to-day to attend the dramatic club entertainment to-night.

Lovington was represented in Decatur yesterday by Rebek & McGregor, Pete Lux, Mrs. D. R. Suttler and Marion Newlan.

C. N. Brown has returned from Chicago, where he signed a contract to sing next season with the Abbott Opera company.

E. G. Allen, of Allen Bros., was in Harrisonville yesterday on road grader business. He has sold seven graders since Monday.

Herbert Ingram, the gymnast, left last night for St. Louis, where he will take a course of training at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

Rev. H. D. Onyett and family were in Decatur yesterday on their way from Mt. Zion to their new home at Danvers, McLean county.

H. B. Silsbee, of Birmingham, N. Y., general agent of the United States Mutual Accident Insurance company, is at the St. Nicholas with his wife. He is on the road all the time, but is always accompanied by his better half.

The Decatur guests to the Clappett-Ewing wedding at Bloomington, Tuesday night, returned home yesterday. Those present from this city were, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Ewing, Miss Marion Ewing, Mr. and Mrs. Charles G. Powers, Miss Anna Bell Powers, Lucille Durfee, Edward Powers, Frank Knutson, Senator W. C. Johns, and Cyrus Curtis.

Wonderful Demand for Fruit.

Importers and jobbers of fruit in all parts of the country unite in saying that they have never known of such a demand as has existed for the past month or so, resulting not only in putting up the price but in extending the supply. Decatur's leading fruit house, George W. Ehrhart & Co.'s, have had the same experience and have found it almost impossible to keep up with the demands of their steadily increasing trade, notwithstanding the big season contract which Mr. Ehrhart placed with his New Orleans importer some months ago. He has now been compelled to double his order for bananas and will hereafter receive two cars a week. For three days past he has been obliged to hold all orders his stock being entirely exhausted. Last night however he got in a car of extra Port Limon bananas direct from New Orleans. With these he hopes to be able to catch up with his orders.

This firm also received last night a car of magnificent Riverside Mediterranean sweet oranges direct from California, and will be able to offer this choice fruit on very advantageous terms to the trade.

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

A Correction.

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

Someone gave THE REVIEW the information the other day that a 14½ pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Longnecker, 942 North Main street, and now by our halidom there is blood upon the moon; Mr. Longnecker says it isn't so; that he doesn't live at that number and that he will be blankety, blankety blanking it he is guilty. THE REVIEW recognized the fact that Mr. Longnecker ought to know something about where he lives, hastens to make the correction apologetically, but would like to ask the one giving the item if its publication did him any good, and if he is practicing for a republican campaign orator by this manufacturing alleged items out of whole cloth?

STORIES

Told as Facts by Folks With G. Washington Reputations.

ANOTHER OLD INHABITANT.

"That high water story in THE REVIEW a few days ago," said another one of the oldest inhabitants yesterday reminds me of an incident that happened in Austin township years ago. The sufferer was a very large man, extreme in length, breadth and depth, and he tells what water once did for him in the following words:

I was about 18 years of age, when, for the first time, I took it into my head to go sparring. One of my neighbors a few miles off, had a pretty daughter, that I thought would just suit me. It was late in the fall, and the weather pretty cold; still it was too early to put on shoes for those primitive times.

When Sunday afternoon came, I dressed in my best, but not colored suit, made some six months before, but soon found that the pantaloons reached only just below my knees, and my coat stretched over me as tight as an old skinned dried on a hippopotamus. I started barefoot, waiting the cracks and muddy bottoms till I reached the house.

The family were about sitting down to supper, and invited me to eat. Sally sat by my side. They had much and milk and plenty of it. The old lady, who was dishing out the pie and told me to pass the bowl. I reached out my hand with the bowl; but I had made no calculation on the size of the table, the space between the big milk pail and the bowl, nor the width of my hand. N. W. told my embarrassment. I struck the milk pail with some way and upset it, and out went the milk over the table, Sally and myself. She jumped up and went, slashing with laughter into the other room. I saw that all was lost, and I gave up the idea of supper.

When the clock struck 10 the old lady said in a pleasant tone:

"Mr. ——— wouldn't you like to wash your feet and go to bed?"

"Yes, ma'am," said I.

"Here, an old pot—all I've got that's fit," said the old lady.

I took the pot, and found it so small that I could only get my feet into it by sliding them in sideways. But I got them in. The water was hot, and I soon found them swelling and tighter. I couldn't get them out. I said nothing, though the pain and anxiety was so great that the sweat rolled down my face. The clock struck 11.

"Mr. ——— are you done washing your feet?" asked the old lady.

"What did this pot cost?" I've got to break it," I groaned.

"A dollar,"

"Bring me the ax."

She brought it. I took the ax, broke the pot in pieces, handed the old lady a dollar, opened the door, and started for home. I never went there again."

ABOUT THE EARTH.

R. A. Wilson, the groceryman, as 801 North Water street, has a reputation over a considerable district southeast of Hammond, of being a very wise man. It was acquired seven or eight years ago, in a very simple manner, yet it still clings to him among the simple people in that rural neighborhood. He used to live there, and one day in conversation he alluded to the fact of the earth being round. That was something new to the listener, and he not only disputed it hotly, but put in considerable time telling his neighbors what an unreasonable notion "Dick" Wilson was trying to put off on them. They had quite a time about it; the heavy weights in the community took it up, and whenever they met Mr. Wilson would have an argument.

"Why," said one old man, "don't the Bible say, 'to the end of the earth,' and how could the earth have ends if it is round?"

A Methodist preacher used to come here on horseback once a month, and at his next visit, Mr. Wilson told him about the great question that was agitating the community.

He said he would give them a talk, and so after the services Sunday morning, took up the subject of the earth's shape, and talked for half an hour about it and the plan of the universe. The 150 people listened spellbound, and drank in what was to most of them an utterly new and unheard of doctrine. But they believed, it became the preacher said so, and always after that listened to what "Dick" Wilson said as being the words of a wise man, who knew almost as much as the preacher.

CAUSING A STRONG BOX.

Ed A. Ward for several years carried the strong box of the T. H. & P. to and from the pay car on my days, and though he never had any adventures with it, he did not know but he might have, and was always on the lookout for them. One night the car got into Decatur about 11 o'clock and Ed, with the box under his arm, started to walk up town alone, a thing he didn't always do. At the corner of Eldorado and Front streets somebody had been there what time it was. Without waiting to ascertain whether the burglar's intentions were honorable or not, Ed took a firmer hold on his box, picked up his heels, and came as near flying as he could, and he didn't stop till he got home out of breath.

Another time when the pay car came in late, and Ed had started up town alone, Col. D. H. Conklin, who couldn't go, met him, met Engineer Daniels, and said: "Daniels, just watch Ed go up town with that box will you?" Ed was about a half block away then, and just in sight. Daniels without asking any questions, started out and very cautiously followed the shadowy figure until it had disappeared in its accustomed abiding place. Then proud of the success with which he had performed the "Old General" act, he hurried up to a clerk in the street office to inquire almost in a whisper what was the reason of his watchfulness of the cashier's movements. He sent out the growler as soon as the clerk got through laughing at him.

MUNIFICENT AMOS.

Amos Hoveston was unusually well fixed last night. He had a whole quarter in one place, but dropped it on the floor and had to spend about five minutes hunting for it under desks and chairs. In that he was assisted by the reporters and Manager E. J. Martin, of the Short Line, who had dropped in for a call. The money was recovered finally, and then Amos, putting on a very grandiose air, extended it to Manager Martin with: "Here, take this for what you've done for the town."

Want the Home.

Several Odd Fellows in Decatur are talking of organizing a movement to secure the location of the proposed Odd Fellows Orphans' home in this city. It is a home to be built and maintained by the Daughters of Rebekah of Illinois. They desire to have a building that will cost at least \$100,000. The city getting the home will be expected to contribute liberally towards its establishment. Decatur would be one of the very best locations in the state for such an institution, and it would be at least worth trying for. We certainly can do as much for the home as any other city of this size. A meeting of the directors of the home was held last week at Chicago. Reports were read from various lodges, which showed that \$10,000 had already been subscribed for the building. The president was instructed to at once invite propositions regarding the location. Lincoln and Shelbyville were represented by delegates, who offered inducements of land and money.

Local news on first page.

The barrel factory is taking a vacation.

The Frankie Jones company is at Champaign this week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Heilmann, on Tuesday, May 20.

A son was born on Wednesday, May 21, to Mr. and Mrs. John Pather, at 1054 North Union street.

Minor Montgomery has sold his lively stable on Cerro Gordo street, near Water, to Levi Sparks.

McLerr will be the last day of service for the next term of court commencing Monday, June 2.

Frankie Brown arrested by Officer Barrett for disorderly conduct was fined \$8 and costs yesterday by Justice Hammer.

Several members of Chevalier Bayard lodge K. of P., expect to go to Lovington to-morrow to institute a new lodge.

Deatur lodge No. 85, I. O. O. F., so well pleased with its last social, has concluded to have one every four or five weeks.

Fred Spiller, the old German